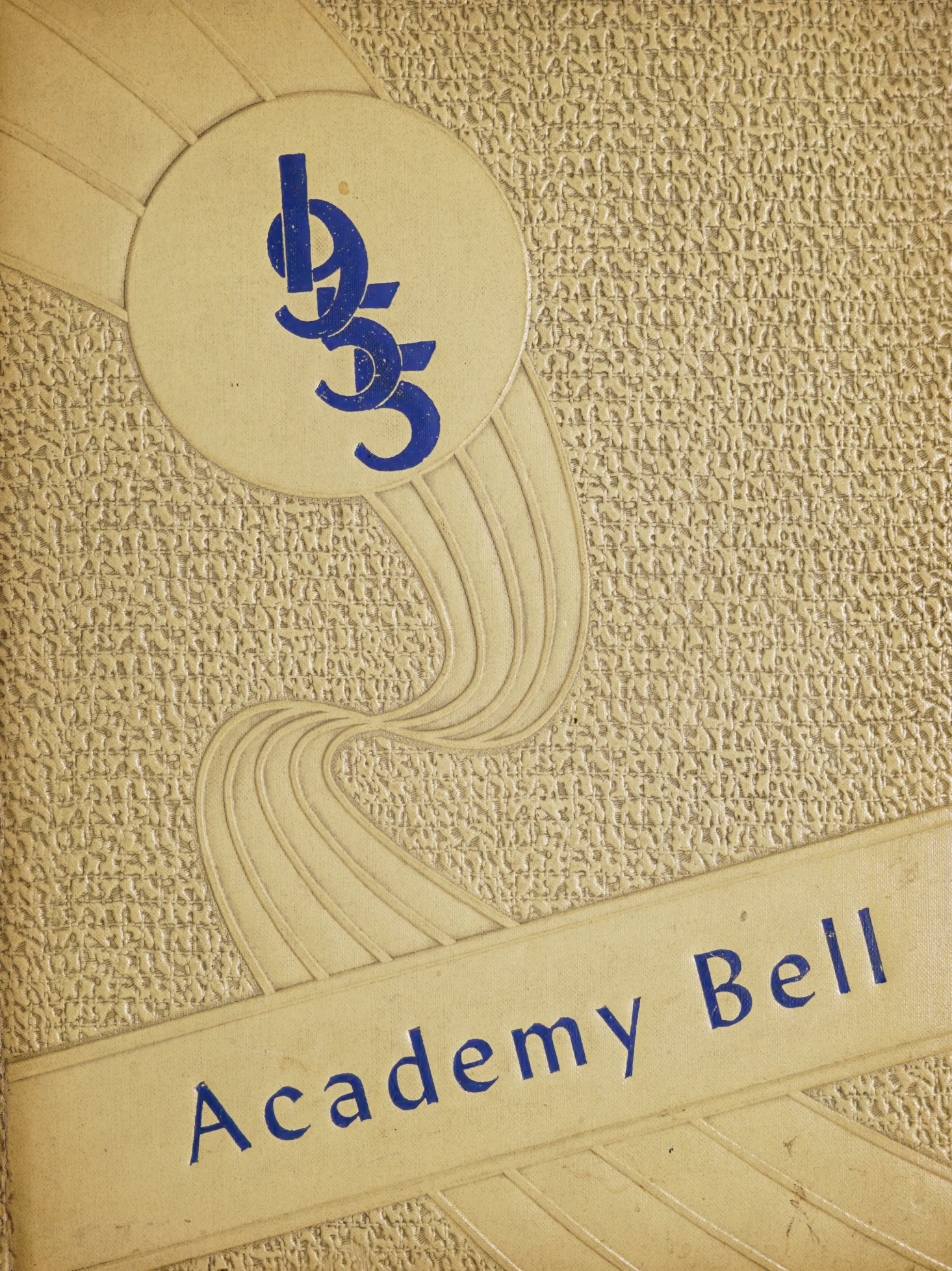
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PREST POUR MON PAIS

The new seal of Monson Academy is actually 225 years old and graced the halls of a lord of England in the time of King George III. Bearing the old French motto "Prest Pour Mon Pais" (Ready for My Country), it has been adapted from the coat-of-arms of Baron Monson, of Burton Hall, Lincoln, after whom the towns in Maine and Massachusetts were named. The Monson family came originally from Denmark, and their name was prominent in England as far back as 1378. The title was bestowed in 1728, although earlier Monsons were lesser nobles. Formerly a disk enclosing the tower of the old Academy Hall and the date of the founding of Monson Academy served as a symbol of the school. The loss of Academy Hall in February, 1953, clinched the idea of adopting a new seal containing a motto. The suggestion was made that it might be appropriate for Monson to follow the example of Amherst College, with their Lord Jeff, and use the crest of their own Baron Monson. The idea was immediately accepted by the Board of Trustees.

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HEADMASTER'S MESSAGE

Since almost every member of the graduating class this year will enter college in September, my message mostly concerns that group. At the risk of being called repetitious and old-fogyish, I again urge those entering college to bear in mind at least some of the advice about college that has been given you by those who have already been there and who may have some background for the advice they have given. Here in Monson you have learned, I trust, good study habits. It is true that some of you may have learned these habits in spite of your desire not to do so. At least you have been exposed to them. In college you will have no faculty member visiting your room periodically to see that you are at work. You will be 'on your own' completely. You will probably rejoice at the realization of this new freedom and will be tempted to use the freedom to the limit in doing many things not permitted in preparatory school. This abuse of free time, unfortunately, causes the downfall of many a college freshman. The freshman year in college is in many respects the most difficult year. and it is particularly important that you get off to a good start. You yourselves are not the only ones to whom you owe the greatest possible effort. You owe your parents a great deal for their sacrifices in sending you to college; you owe a great deal to the college admission officials for having selected you for admission over some other fellow, and you must justify their confidence in you to make the grade; and you owe much to the school from which you are entering college.

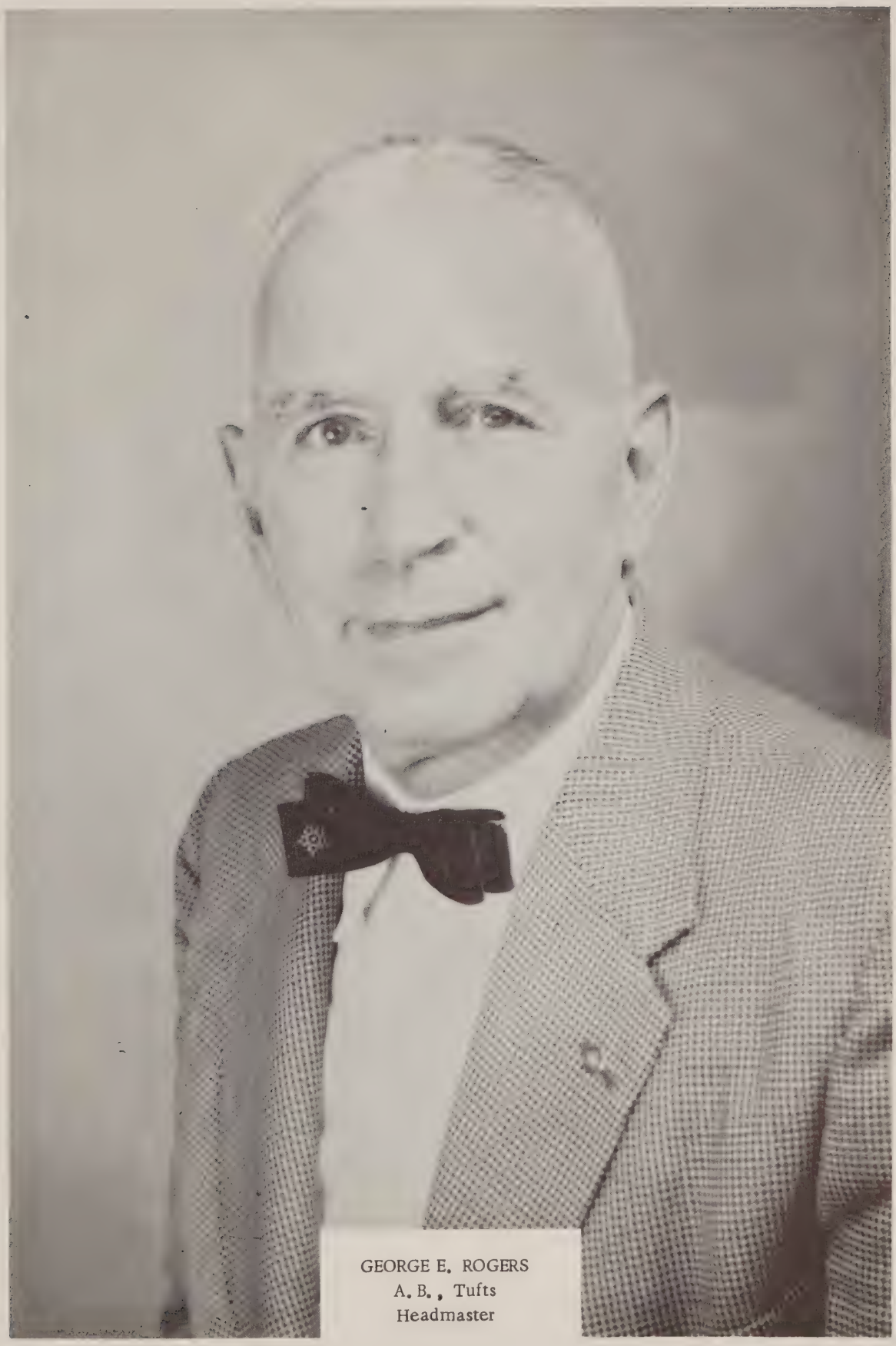
Do your part in making yourselves valuable members of the college community. Go out for extra-curricular activities, but don't indulge in them to such an extent that you miss out on the real purpose of your attending college.

Don't be afraid to be gentlemen and to act as gentlemen. Don't be afraid to stand apart from the crowd if you know that you are right and the crowd is wrong. You don't necessarily have to be eccentric to do what you know is best. To follow the leadership of those whom you know to be wrong and whom you do not respect is only an indication of spinelessness on your part.

America needs educated men now as never before. You are being given an opportunity to enter college and later to take tests to determine whether or not you are worth educating. I believe you are. I sincerely hope you will justify the confidence which this school has placed in you.

Sincerely,

George E. Rogers,
Headmaster



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DEDICATION

We, the Class of 1955, wish to thank you, Mr. Roan, for all the helpful advice you have given us so willingly during the years.

You have shown patience, understanding, and impartiality towards every member of our class. As a result we have come to regard you as a friend as well as a teacher.

You have our deep gratitude for all the help and encouragement you have given us and our best wishes for health and happiness always.

With sincerest appreciation we are proud to dedicate to you, Mr. John R. Roan, the ACADEMY BELL of 1955.

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AN HISTORIC SKETCH OF MONSON ACADEMY

Unlike most independent schools, Monson Academy does not owe its origin to a single founder. From the first it has been a co-operative effort. If we must point to a single great influence behind the school, we might go back to our first president of the Board of Trustees. It was the Reverend John Willard, D. D., of Stafford, Connecticut, who joined with the local inn-keeper, Joel Norcross and the local parson, Jesse Ives, in rousing public interest to the point of getting a state charter for the founding of Monson Academy. Mention should be made also of the Reverend Alfred Ely, one of the first Trustees and an active member from 1806 to 1866.

Dr. Willard, who was graduated from Harvard as far back as 1751, was the brother of the more famous President Willard of Harvard (1781 - 1804) and was able to interest many of the leading scholars of the day in his Monson project. Under an act of 1797 the Massachusetts legislature had undertaken to endow with lands in the province of Maine any preparatory school built by the industry of the local people, if that particular area needed such educational facilities. For the location of such a school in this part of Western Massachusetts the citizens of Monson and Brimfield competed, and after some debate Monson was chosen.

The Act of Incorporation of Monson Academy was passed by the Massachusetts House of Representatives on June 21, 1804, and half the Township of Monson, Maine, was granted as an endowment. A fund of over four thousand dollars was collected among local citizens and the first Academy building was opened in 1806.

Though the school was and still is closely associated with the local Congregational Church, there has been no official religious affiliation with any group. All creeds and races were welcome. This fact, no doubt, had a great deal to do with the school's rapid rise to fame. The founding fathers had hoped for a school which would attract students from all over the state, in addition to functioning as a secondary school for the Monson area. In a very few years it had a national reputation; after its first quarter-century, students were coming from all over the world.

There is no space here to go into many details of Monson's history. We can, however, note a few landmarks. The first headmaster, Simeon Colton, who left after his first year, in 1807, returned in 1821 and stayed for nine years. This was the period of Monson's beginning as a great school. During the decade 1820-1831 the school graduated such famous men as Sophocles of Harvard, America's greatest classical scholar, who came here all the way from Smyrna in Asia Minor; Dr. Henry L. Barnard, the first United States Commissioner of Education, regarded as second only to Horace Mann in the development of the American public school; Professor W. A. Larned, late professor at Yale, and the Reverend Richard S. Storrs, D. D., of Brooklyn, New York, commonly and

affectionately referred to in those days as "Prince of Preachers." A glance at the catalogues of the eighteen-twenties will show students from England, Greece, Turkey, and many parts of North America. Men went out from the Academy to open up the west and carry the Gospel to the South Seas. The Reverend Cushing Eels and the Reverend Charles B. Sumner were instrumental in founding, respectively, Whitman College in Washington and Pomona College in California.

The golden age of the school was the half-century between 1835 and 1885. This was, indeed, the period of the greatest flowering of the New England academy, and many fine old schools that made history then are no longer in existence. Only a few of the private schools survived the rival growth of the public high schools. In the middle of the last century, however, Monson built up the prestige that was to carry it through the years right up to the present day, though no longer as an academy for young ladies and gentlemen, but in its new role as a preparatory school for boys.

In 1835 Charles Hammond, of Union, Connecticut, entered Monson as a student. He was zealous and idealistic, one of his idols being Dr. Arnold of Rugby. In due course he was graduated and went to Yale, but in 1839 he was back at Monson -- as principal. He served as principal from 1839 to 1841, from 1845 to 1852, and again from 1863 to 1878 -- a total of twenty-four years. This great man educated more distinguished personages than many a college has turned out. He towered above his fellows in the educational field. All kinds of reforms were introduced in his day, and the old dictum of "spare the rod and spoil the child" was abandoned. Like Thomas Arnold he preferred to trust to his students' honor, and he once said he would do his best to "make of Monson a smaller Rugby." During his administration the enrollment of the school was frequently above three hundred drawn from all parts of the world.

Over a hundred years ago, in 1847, the first Chinese students ever to come to the United States enrolled at Monson Academy. Nearly a generation later the first Japanese students came, and until the end of the century there was always a fair sprinkling of orientals amongst the student body.

The physical plant of the school, in the meantime, increased with the student body. In 1819 the first dormitory was built for the boarding students, near the present site of Cushman Hall. In 1824 the first laboratory was erected and expensively equipped with apparatus "specially imported from England." The site of this old laboratory, one of the first in the country, is now occupied by the Holmes Gymnasium. In 1845, at a cost of four thousand dollars, Dr. Hammond had the entire school renovated and modernized and spent a further thousand to re-equip the English department. As in the case of the original building, this large sum was raised by the townsfolk.

During this golden age of the academy, many great men were graduated from Monson. The class of 1850 was particularly brilliant. In that year Jacop Strong left to enter Williams College, and eventually he became associate justice of the United States Supreme Court. The brilliant young Chinese Wong Afun left Monson to enter Edinburgh University and to become eventually one of his country's greatest doctors. Another young Chinese, Yung Wing, was graduated, only to return to America some years later as Commissioner of the Chinese Educational Commission and as Chinese Minister to the United States. Only two years later, in 1852 Henry Billings Brown, another future United States Supreme Court Justice, was graduated. Judge Reuben Chapman, a Trustee from 1828 to 1873, and Judge Marcus Knowlton, a Trustee from 1874 to 1918, both later became Chief Justices of the Massachusetts Supreme Court. The Reverend James Tufts was one of the outstanding principals of the Academy, his administration covering the period from 1852 to 1859. His son, James Hayden Tufts, who attended the Academy in his early teens, later became Vice President, and for one year Acting President, of the University of Chicago.

The Civil War caused a temporary closing of the Academy in 1862, but it reopened the following year after two additional wings had been added to the old building.

This brief survey would not be complete without a few words about the missionary endeavors of Monson graduates. The Reverend James L. Merrick, one of the first American missionaries to Persia, was graduated in 1826, and he later established an endowment fund entitled the Persian Fund. Gilbert Rockwood, class of 1834, went to the South Seas, and William Benton, class of 1839, to Syria. The zealous young Samuel Marsh, who was graduated in 1840 died while preaching the Gospel to the Zulus in South Africa. It was the work of such men as these that helped to attract students to Monson from so many parts of the world.

The rise of free secondary education in the latter part of the last century did a great deal to decrease the need for the private school. Some establishments, including Monson Academy, served the purpose of the local high school in many rural communities. Until regular high schools were built, these private schools accepted local students, whose tuition was paid by the town. This somewhat altered the character of the older academies, but in many cases it was the means of survival.

A disastrous fire in 1886 completely destroyed the old Academy Building, but later in the same year a more substantial granite and brick building was erected. The Holmes Gymnasium was built in 1900 by Miss Esther R. Holmes in memory of her father, Cyrus W. Holmes, Jr., and Cushman Hall in 1904 by Thaddeus L. Cushman in memory of his nephew, Frank Chapin Cushman. An older dormitory, Hammond Hall, was at the same time torn down to make room for the present headmaster's residence, Hammond Place. Cushman Memorial Field was given in 1911 by Edward C. Cushman and Rufus P. Cushman as a memorial to Grace Sedgwick Cushman and Frank Chapin Cushman.

After the first World War the town of Monson finally decided to build a separate high school. This action meant that virtually all of the Academy day students would transfer to the new institution. Consequently, the school was again temporarily closed in 1923, while arrangements were made to revert to the old status of a century before. During the next two years the Trustees granted the use of the Academy buildings to the town for use as a high school. In 1926 Monson Academy was reopened as a purely college preparatory school for boys. The new headmaster, Mr. Bertram A. Strohmeier, announced in the 1926 catalogue that the school would be "developed on an American adaptation of the English house plan." "By this arrangement the boys live in small groups in separate houses under the immediate care of one or more masters." In keeping with this plan an additional dormitory, Morris House, was deeded to the Academy by Miss Esther R. Holmes in 1927, and yet another house, the Homestead, in 1937, through the generosity of Miss Hattie F. Cushman.

No historical sketch of Monson Academy would be quite complete without a tribute to Thaddeus L. Cushman, who was a member of the Board of Trustees for thirty-eight years, Treasurer for thirty-six years, and Secretary-Treasurer of the Monson Academy Alumni Association for forty years. His deeds of unselfishness and benevolence afforded him great pleasure and satisfaction, besides providing necessities and comforts to others less fortunate than he.

Mr. Strohmeier was succeeded in 1935 by Mr. George E. Rogers, under whose administration the size of the student body has greatly increased. Plans are now under consideration for the centralization of the school plant in the not-too-distant future.

In 1938 the Holmes Gymnasium was enlarged. In the same year the disastrous hurricane struck Monson with full force. The beautiful elms that lined Main street and surrounded the Academy buildings were uprooted by the force of the gale.

In the immediate postwar years, the Academy, sensing its obligation, admitted many returning veterans in order that they might continue their interrupted educations.

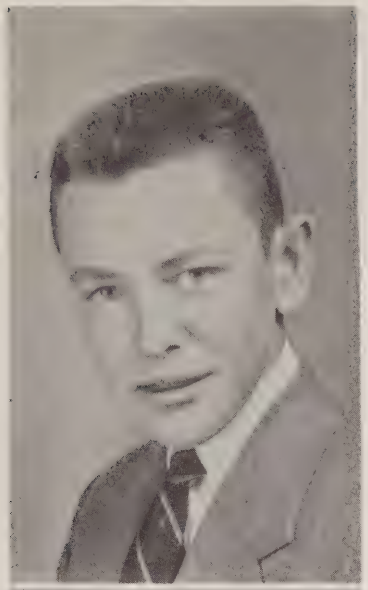
In 1947 the Academy acquired two additional buildings. Through the generosity of the family of Mrs. Rufus P. Cushman, Chapin house was added to the Academy and now serves as a dormitory. In addition, the home of Miss Adelaide Wingate, now called Holmbrook, was acquired. Holmbrook is the location of the dining hall and student and faculty lounges. It also serves as a dormitory. In 1948 the Academy acquired the Cushman Memorial Athletic Field.

On February 23, 1953 a disastrous fire swept the Academy Hall. Despite this tragedy the Academy continued to function for the remainder of the year. Both faculty and students demonstrated hardihood in carrying on in view of extremely difficult conditions.

Plans were immediately set afoot to rebuild Academy Hall. It was decided that the new location would be at the top of the hill on High Street, with the view in mind of centralizing the location of the campus. The new modern Academy building, called Alumni Hall, was completed and ready for occupancy by September, 1954. Through the ceaseless efforts of alumni, staff, and friends of the academy the new building became a reality.

The new Academy hall was officially dedicated upon the occasion of the school's sesquicentennial celebration, October 9, 1954. At this time leaders in the educational field gathered at Monson to celebrate the dual occasion and to take cognizance of the role of the private school in America. Upon this occasion the principal speaker was Doctor Charles W. Cole, President, Amherst College. Sharing the speaking honors with Doctor Cole was the Honorable Thomas C. Clark, Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court.

Adversity and misfortune have been challenged and overcome. A new Academy hall has emerged from the ashes. Whatever distinction Monson Academy may achieve in the future will be due in a large degree to the completely selfless efforts of the Headmaster, Mr. George E. Rogers.



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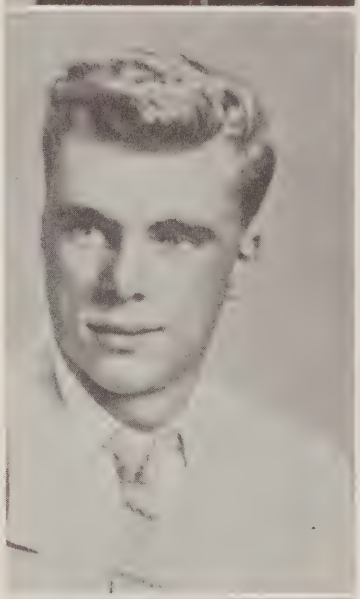

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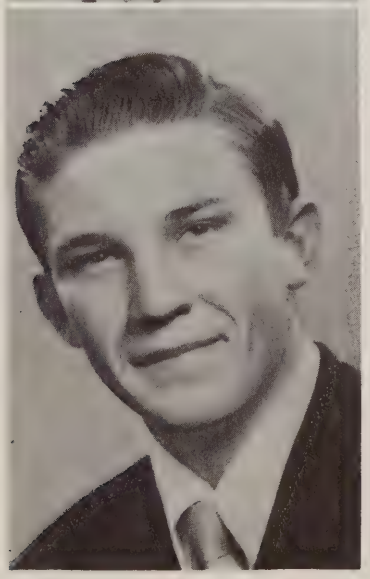

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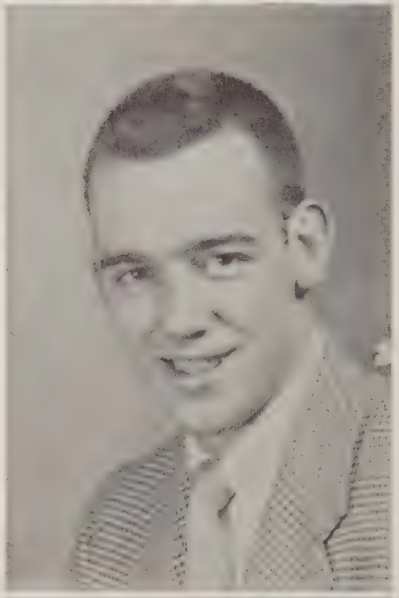

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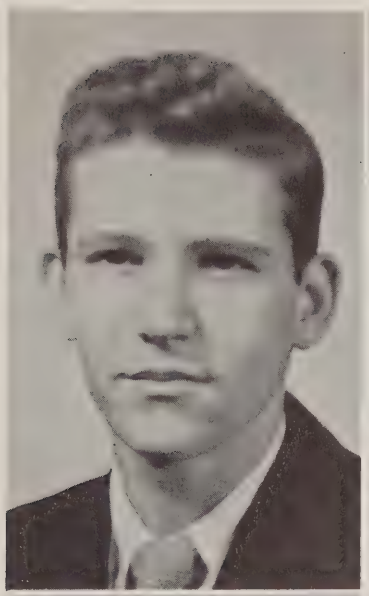

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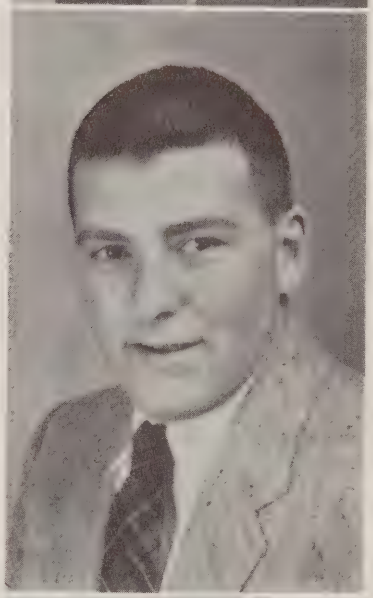

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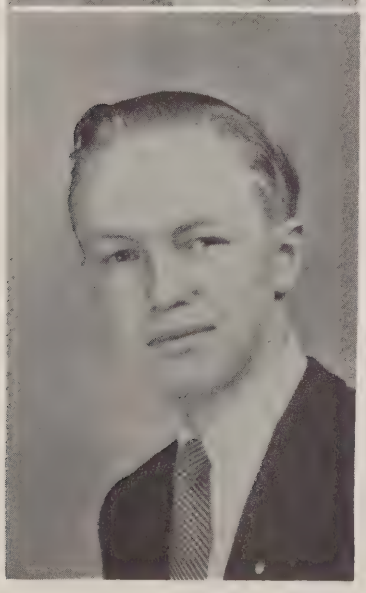

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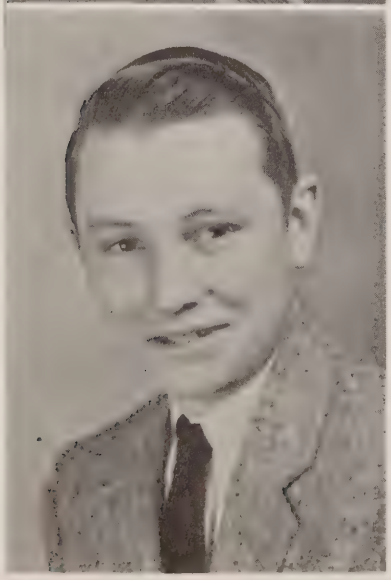

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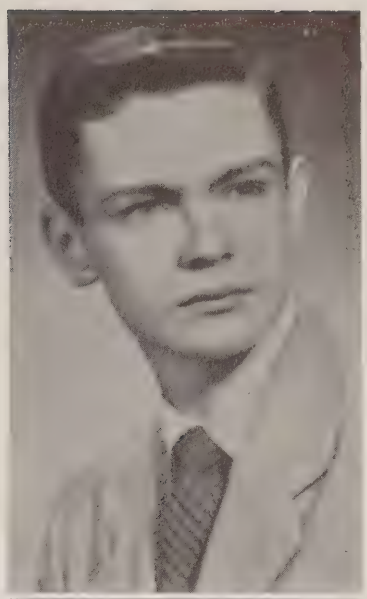

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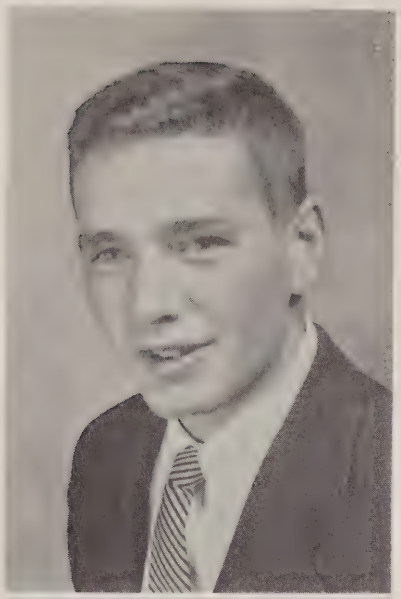

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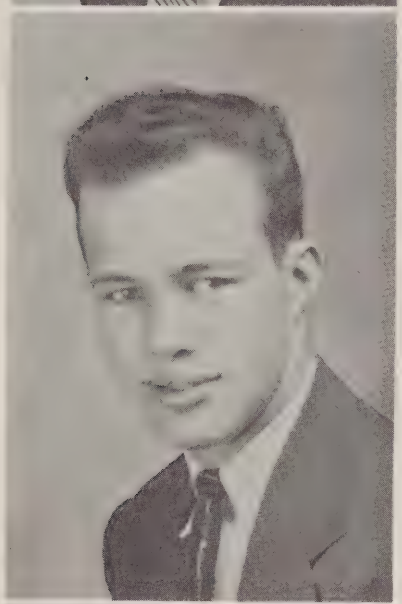

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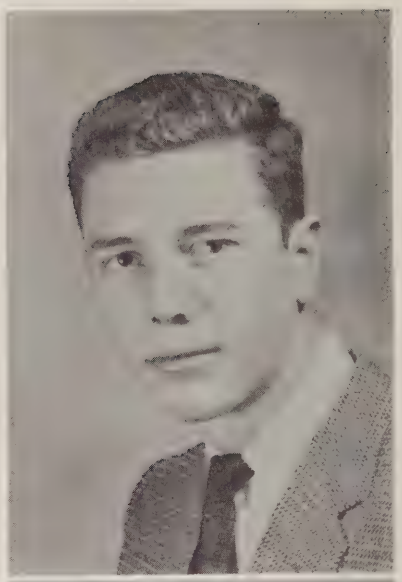

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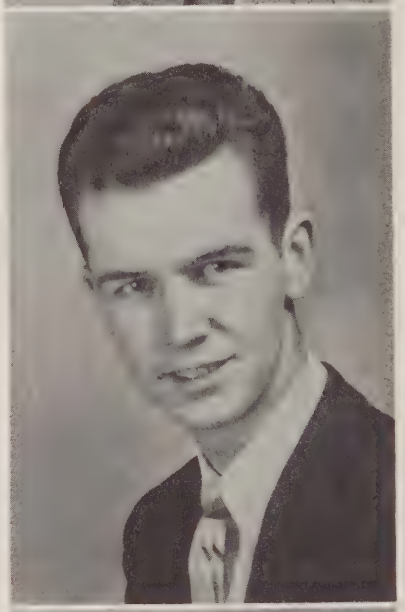

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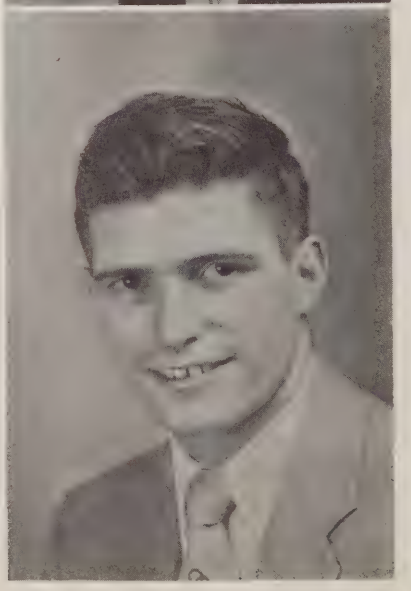

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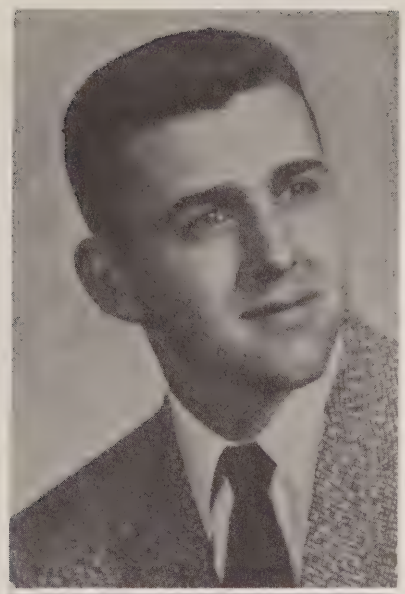

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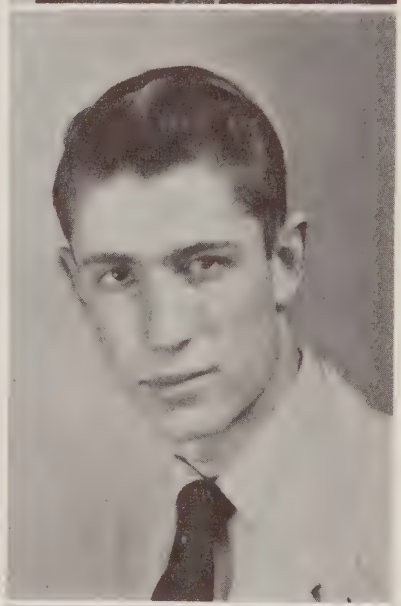

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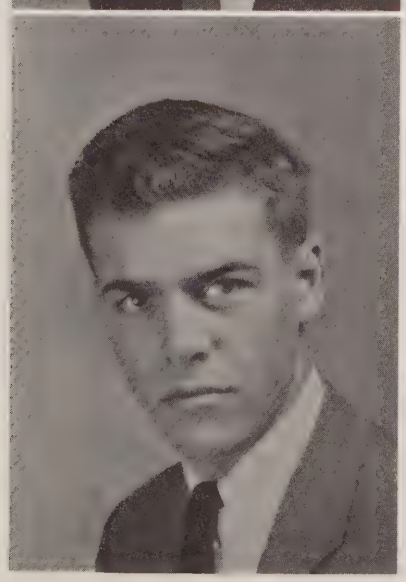

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CLASS WILL

We, the graduating class of 1955, hereby put forth our last Will and Testament. Being of sound mind and body, we declare any and all previously made wills null and void. May this statement be remembered and acknowledged until eternity.

Having paid in full all class dues and debts, we bequeath the following possessions:

Stanley Wright, Jr., leaves one light bulb for next year's students to see with.

John Dwyer leaves his rebounding ability to Jack Hedlund.

Bob Cox leaves all the good times in Homestead to Steve Goller.

Sam Hines leaves to Mac MacKenzie, his drive, determination, and hockey skates (one left foot and one right foot).

Mike Bonavita leaves his roommate happily.

Dick Meehan leaves his padded house slippers to the next inhabitant of room six.

Verne Tetreault leaves to John Leven, his telephone bill -- Monson's largest.

Dimitri Afonski leaves his high marks to any member of the junior class who is man enough to hold them.

Ed Satter leaves his red and black hat to anyone who wants it.

Brad Moreau leaves an autographed book entitled HOW TO WRESTLE to Mac MacKenzie.

Bill Mazanec leaves his football ability to Dick Knight.

Knowlton Utley leaves his claustrophobia to the future inhabitants of Morris House.

Baylis Earle leaves.

So does Bob Oleson.

George Miller leaves to future Monsonites, as a symbol of his originality, his yellow bucks.

Bill Meade leaves the girls of the town broken hearted.

Bill Aitken leaves his work job to Mr. North.

Dave Yates leaves his bottle of peroxide to Howard Schneider.

Paul Snow leaves his haircut to Frank Daley.

Brad Baker leaves Mr. Hunt in peace.

Howie Irving leaves his line to next year's loverboy.

Jim Rich leaves his muscle building technique to Jonathan Cross.

Parker Hodgman leaves his views on Senator McCarthy to Mr. Speed's Government class.

Sidney Letter leaves for U. of M. He has plans for a taxi service for commuters.

Andrew Piwcio just plain leaves.

Henry Stramski leaves his antique guns to the rifle team and Mr. Morrow.

Bill Teale leaves his formula for getting red hair to anyone who wants it.

Everett Walker leaves one dozen 1955 Oldsmobiles for the faculty and staff to fight over.

Paul Mailman leaves his ambition and his easy going disposition to Dave Prouty.

Dave Lynch leaves his athletic ability to Pete Schneider.

Fred Bodington leaves his sling and his lame arm to next year's hockey team.

Dave Schmidt leaves his knowledge of Spanish for Mr. Benton to puzzle over.

Dick Bailey leaves Celeste in Roger's care.

Jim Brown leaves a lot of people feeling glad that they met him.

Nick Rosa leaves the memory of his good looks to the local girls.

Lewis Councilman leaves with Mr. Hunt fond memories of those quiet evenings at Holmbrook.

Barry Cunningham leaves all his fans in great despair.

Jack Donasky leaves his scholastic ability and ambition to Dwight Ellis.

Dave Harrison and Dick Hayes leave their old worn-out tires to next year's long-distance commuting champs.

Tom Hopper leaves for Rhode Island School of Design.

John Lauerman leaves Calvert Ellis a pair of boxing gloves to replace his pencil.

Bob Mulholland leaves his build to Andy Anderson.

George Murray leaves, in Steve Szaban's new Olds.

Steve Szaban leaves in his new Olds with George Murray.

Elliot Philips leaves his two reserved seats on the Peter Pan bus to the next student who has a girl in Hampden.

Bernie Rivotto leaves his knowledge of etiquette to Kip Lavigne.

Don Roy leaves his recipe for "humburgs" to Mrs. Andrews.

Jim Russell leaves a copy of J. Edgar Hoover's latest book, HOW TO CATCH THE KIDDIE IN THE CAPER, to the masters at Cushman Hall.

Ed Rutkowski leaves about ten feet behind Murray and Szaban.

Chet Szetela leaves the whole school laughing.

Jack Tisdale leaves all his word problems and their solutions to next year's most brilliant Algebra student.

Ed Tomassetti leaves Monson for the University of Vermont. He leaves with the intention of returning and teaching the sixth grade courses.

Don Vickowski leaves for the University of Massachusetts -- he likes the company there.

Phil Wharton leaves, taking with him fond memories of the showers in Cushman Hall.

Fred Zabik leaves to become one of the University of Connecticut's All-Americans.

CLASS PROPHECY

The year - 1965. A reunion is being held at Holmbrook for the members of the class of 1955.

People are beginning to arrive. Let's see who is the first to come. A black Cadillac pulls up before the door and Mr. Brad Moreau, the first to make a million, alights. Right behind him is the world renowned doctor, Verne D. Tetreault; we fine that Verne's campanion is the equally well-known doctor, David R. Yates. They have just emerged from the conference room where they were making plans for the Yates-Tetreault General Hospital that will soon be constructed in Monson. So far everyone seems to have done well.

A new Jaguar now stops at the foot of the walk. Well, if it isn't Ed Satter. We always knew he'd end up with one of those. With Ed is Big Bill Mazanec. It seems like sort of a little car for such a big football player. Talking to Ed is Bob Cox, famous engineer. They must be discussing Bob's latest remodeling job on the Golden Gate Bridge. Rick Meehan is joining them. Competition is keen between Dick and Bob and Dick is considering a merger with the firm of Councilman and Walker, Inc., who have also become prominent in the field of engineering.

Brad Moreau is walking toward the door to meet a man who has just arrived. This man turns out to be Mike Bonavita, another millionaire. I guess these two will discuss their new trans-Atlantic bridge. Their conversation is soon interrupted by their old friends, Jay Dwyer, Sam Hines, and Demitri Afonsky. Jay has succeeded Bob Cousey and is now playing guard for the Boston Celtics. He says that he owes his entire success to the Celtic's coach, Fred Zabik. Sam seems to have done well at Norwich for he now has outranked his father in that he is a one-star general. Demitri has attained fame as the second Einstein.

Bill Aitken, who is now head salesman for Swift & Co., has just arrived, along with Fred Bodington, the business manager of the same firm. As we scan the crowd of new arrivals we also find Andy Piwcio and Dick Bailey, two of our nation's leading industrial chemists. Barry Cunningham has just arrived and he tells us that he has his own insurance business, in which he has employed a few of his old classmates - Jim Rich is his chief investigator, and Bernie Rivotto is one of his top salesmen.

A government Conservation Department car has just pulled up to the curb and out of it have hopped Paul Mailman, Baylis Earle, Bob Oleson, and Elliot Phillips. They tell us they are all forest rangers stationed at the Brimfield State Forest. Right behind that government car is another big Cadillac. From this emerges Jim Brown, the famous dentist who has been making millions writing testimonials for toothpaste ads. Jim's success is largely due to the efforts of the firm of Wharton, Tomassetti & Russell, Jim's agents.

The next to arrive is John Lauerman who informs us that he is the business manager of an electrical supply house in Longmeadow. He reports that his sales of Tisdale-manufactured light bulbs have been exceedingly high during the past month. Jack must have found the secret formula at last.

Dave Harrison is now the line supervisor of the Eastern district of Bell Telephone Company.

Tom Hopper and Bob Mulholland are the next to arrive. They can only stay a short while because they have to attend a General Motors Board of Directors meeting. Bob can't get his new GM advertising campaign under way until Tom's 1966 designs have been approved. These boys tell us that they see George Murray quite often. He is one of GM's top accountants.

We have just received a long-distance telephone call from Peru. Parker Hodgman is the caller and he informs us that his investigation of the high price of peanut butter is relation to the international situation is not going too well and that he won't be with us this year.

Three of our classmates wired to tell us that they might be a little late. Here they are at last - Stanley Wright, Knowlton Utley, and Sid Letter. It seems they all had to keep their pupils after school. After all, you know, being a teacher isn't all peaches and cream.

It is unfortunate that all of our old classmates couldn't attend this reunion. However, we did get some very nice telegrams from Brad Baker, Dick Hayes, Bill Meade, George Miller, Bill Teale, Chet Szetela, Henry Stramski, Dave Schmidt, Ed Rutkowski, Don Roy, Jack Donasky, Howie Irving, Paul Snow, Nick Rosa, and Dave Lynch. They all send their best to their old friends and express regrets for not being present.

The festivities can now begin.

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Most Likely to Succeed	DIMITRY AFONSKI
Best Dressed	MIKE BONAVITA
Campus Comedian	GEORGE MILLER
School Tarzan	JIM RICH
Best Athlete	FRED ZABIK
Academy Loverboy	BOB MULHOLLAND
Sharpest Ties	DAVE SCHMIDT
Most Talkative	JOHN DWYER
Mr. House and Bounds	BOB OLESON
Always Glad to Help You	SID LETTER
Biggest Line	HOWARD IRVING
Laziest	JOHN DONASKY
Favorite Pastime	SLEEPING
Favorite Meal	STEAK
Favorite Reading Matter	"CONFIDENTIAL"
Favorite Class	STUDY HALL
Just-a-Good-Joe	BRAD MOREAU
Mr. Hard to Get Along With	MARTY SEGEL
Would Make a Good Headmaster	LAUERMAN or RIVOTTO
Best All-Around Student	DICK BAILEY
Neatest	JIM BROWN
Most Dependable	SID LETTER
Ideal Academy Student	WALLY HINES
Wittiest	CHET SZETELA
Handsomest	VERNE TETREAULT
Mr. Bookworm	DIMITRY AFONSKI

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Front row, left to right: P. Mailman, D. Lynch, E. Walker, B. Cunningham, J. Dwyer, D. Schmidt, P. Snow, H. Crook. Back row: Coach Roan, J. Rigsby, D. Stewart, B. Earle, T. Hopper, F. Bodington, W. Webber, E. Satter, Coach Morrow.

JUNIOR VARSITY SOCCER

Front row, left to right: E. Satter, R. Adams, D. Afonsky, J. Furgal, S. Wright, A. Piwcio, P. Bixby, Manager. Back row: Coach Roan, G. White, B. Haley, R. Cox, D. Yates, M. Douglas, Coach Morrow.

VARSITY FOOTBALL

Front row, left to right: L. Councilman, B. Rivotto, R. Bailey, T. Carey, F. Zabik, J. Rich, W. Mazanec, R. Mulholland. Second row: Coach Harrell, J. Donasky, J. Brown, B. Moreau, V. Tetreault, D. Ellis, W. Hines, D. Soderstrom, P. Hanifin, B. Baker, D. Boardway, Coach Fuller, Coach Robinson. Back row: E. Collins, H. Irving, N. Rosa, F. Cammisa, D. Vickowski, K. Utley.

JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL

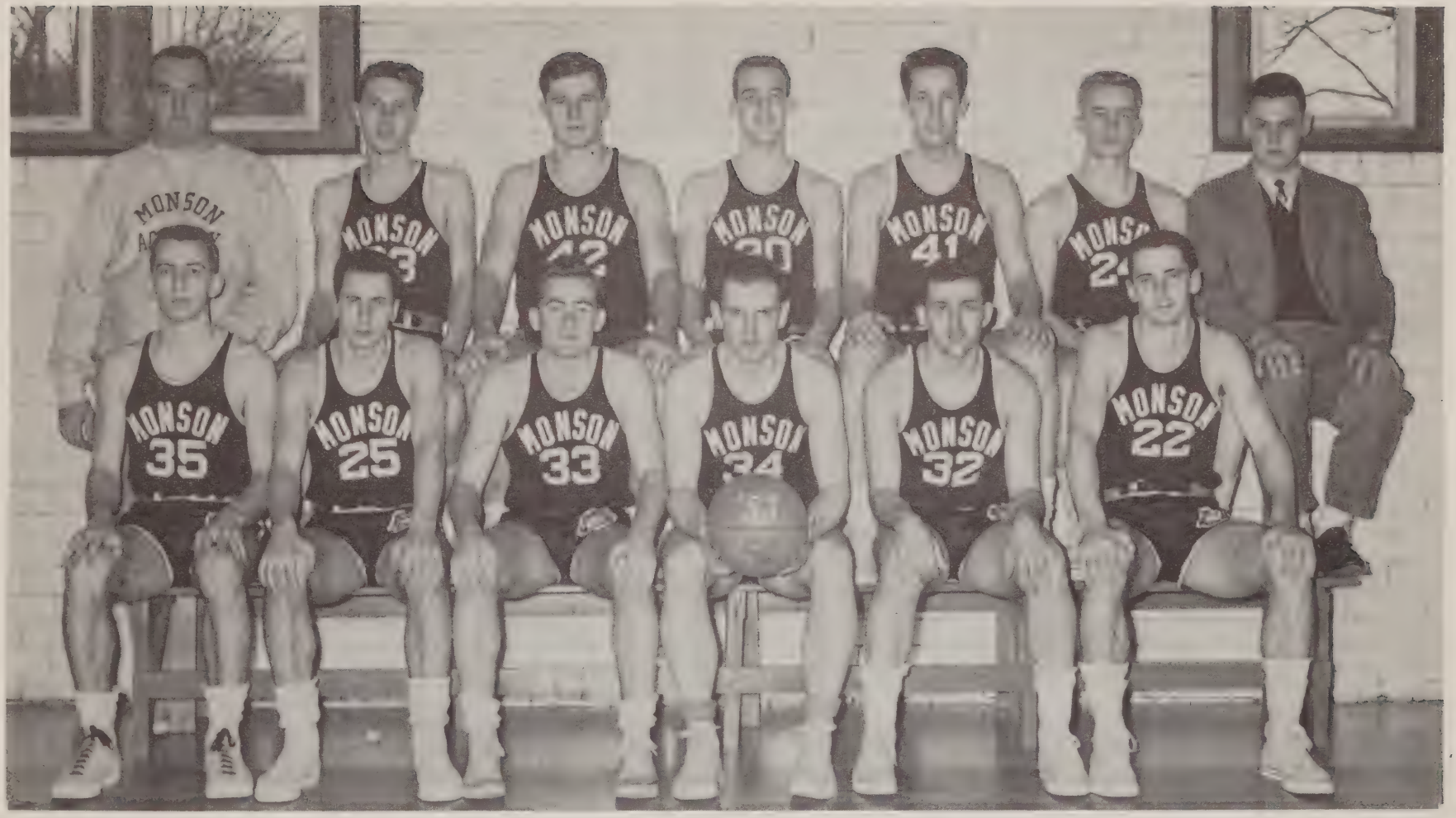
Kneeling, left to right: F. Cammisa, C. Edgerton. Second row: D. Logan, A. Phillips, P. Hanifin, P. Wharton, H. Irving, N. Rosa, D. Vickowski, R. Mattson, Manager. Back row: Coach Harrell, R. MacKenzie, V. Tetreault, W. Clark, E. Collins, C. Smith, K. Utley, D. Ellis, Coach Fuller.

WEIGHT LIFTING TEAM

Left to right: H. Irving, M. Galitello, J. Rich, F. Zabik.

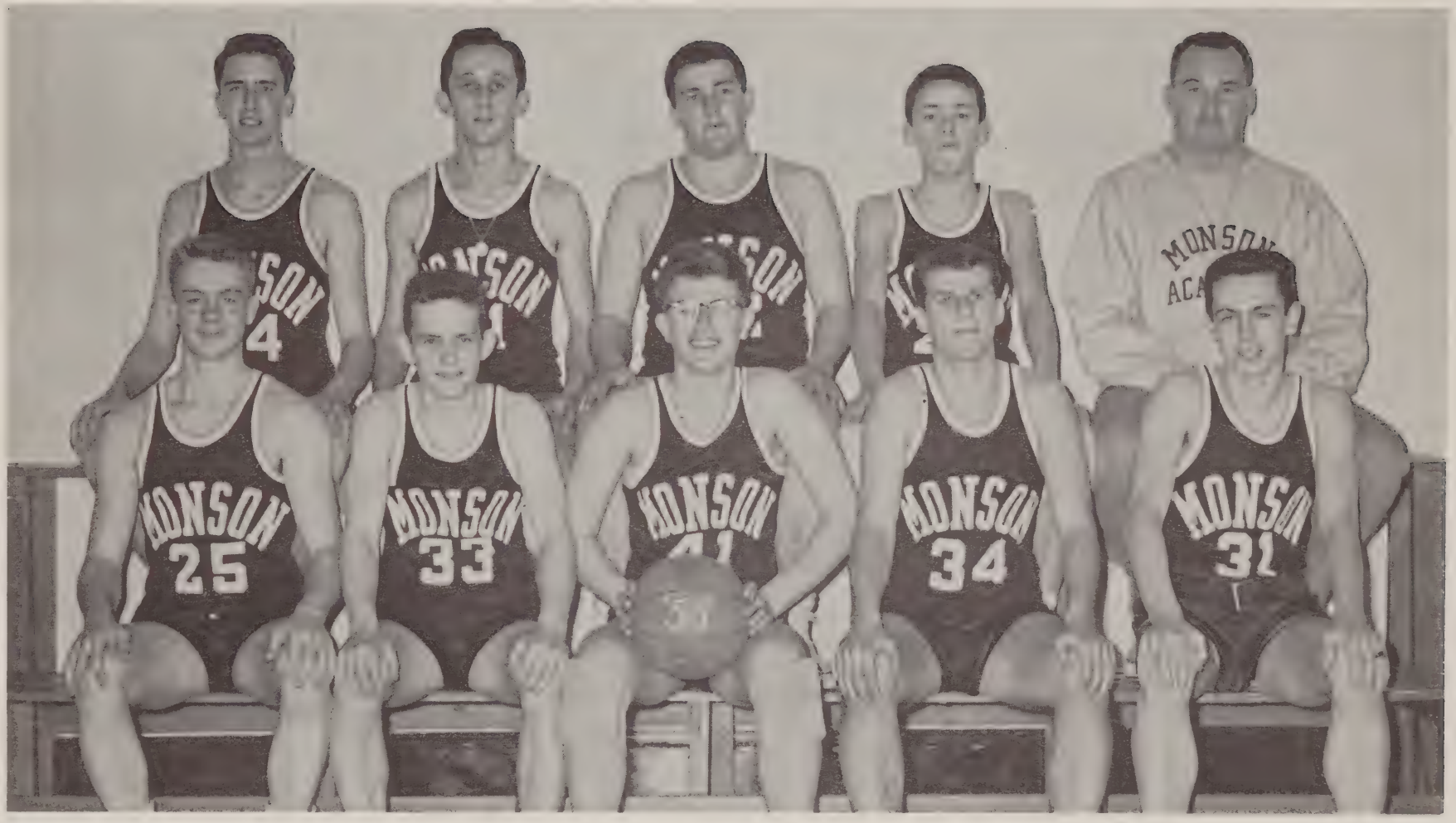
RIFLE TEAM

Front row, left to right: E. Walker, S. Wright, P. Hodgman, H. Stramski, E. Phillips.
Back row: Coach Roan, D. Afonsky, E. Sundburg, Coach Morrow.



VARSITY BASKETBALL

Front row, left to right: G. Murray, N. Rosa, J. Dwyer, J. Lauerman, E. Tomascetti, R. Bailey. Back row: Coach Harrell, S. Szaban, W. Mazanec, B. Cunningham, R. Mulholland, J. Leven, Manager V. Tetreault.



JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL

Front row, left to right: J. Leven, J. Hedlund, J. Furgal, B. Moreau, R. Meehan. Back row: E. Satter, D. Vickowski, W. Hines, R. Adams, Coach Harrell.

BASKETBALL III

Front row, left to right: D. Ellis, W. Clarke, R. McConchie, Coach Robinson. Back row: R. Banford, M. Douglas, S. Montague, D. Bradway.

JUNIOR SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Front row, left to right: Coach Robinson, W. Leab, P. Schneider, S. Wessoleck, D. Rosenlund, L. Smith. Back row: W. Clark, D. Couture, Lininger, M. Sternbane, R. McConchie, S. Mushenko, S. Wesson.

SOCCER III

Front row, left to right: D. Rosenlund, T. Cresswell, L. Smith, T. Kolowrat, P. Schneider, R. Haley, R. McConchie, J. Long. Back row: Coach Hunt, R. Banford, B. Wesson, W. Cresswell, M. Sternbane, D. Haven, R. Devine, D. Bradway, E. Stein.

VARSITY BASEBALL

Front row, left to right: J. Furgal, J. Tarbell, F. Zabik, R. Cox, H. Irving, J. Leven, J. Hedlund, R. Bailey. Back row: Coach Harrell, W. Mazanec, E. Tomassetti, P. Snow, N. Rosa, D. Vickowski, P. Mailman, B. Cunningham, Manager; A. Piwcio.

JUNIOR VARSITY BASEBALL

Front row, left to right: F. Camissa, B. Baker, L. Councilman, W. Webber, R. Case, B. Haley, S. Montague.
Back row: Coach Bergquist, J. Rigsby, S. Szaban, E. Rutkowski, R. Banford, J. Lafond, D. Stewart, A. Phillips, Manager.

BASEBALL III

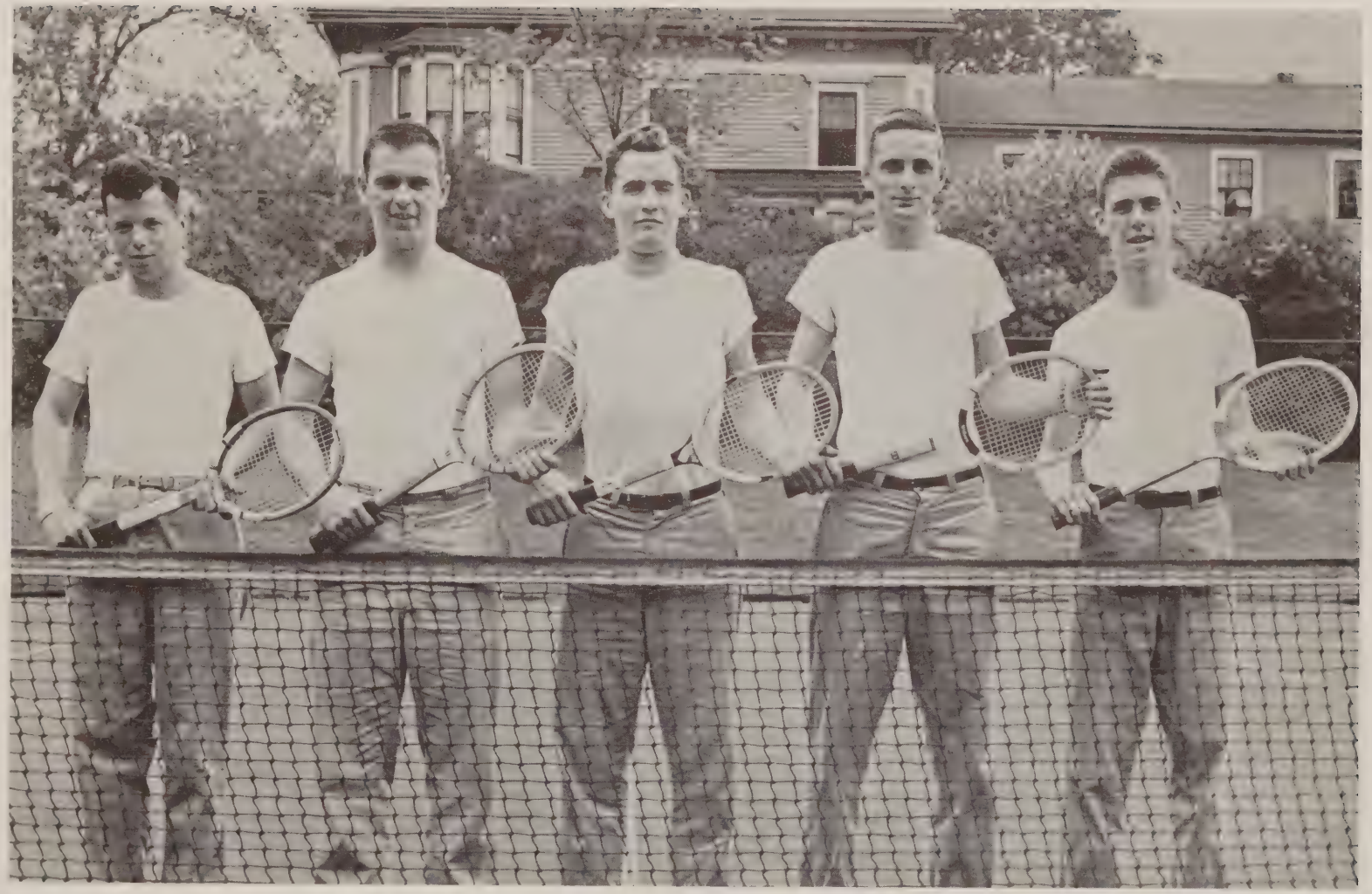
Front row, left to right: S. Wessoleck, R. Adams, R. Mattson, R. Haley, R. McConchie, P. Dooey.
Back row: R. Knight, Manager; A. Wright, H. Schneider, D. Bradway, W. Clarke, W. Leabe, Coach Roan.

TRACK TEAM

Front row, left to right: T Hopper, D. Yates, J. Rich, D. Afonsky, J. Lininger, P. Wharton, C. Symington. Back row: Coach Fuller, M. Friedman, J. Brown, K. Utley, D. Roy, Q. Hagedorn, M. Sokolov, S. Goller.

GOLF TEAM

Left to right: Coach Robinson, W. Aitken, F. Bodington, R. Cook, R. Oleson, D. Logan, P. Hodgman, J. Donasky, A. Wood.



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Left to right: W. Meade, J. Lauerman, J. Dwyer, M. Segel, E. Sundburg.

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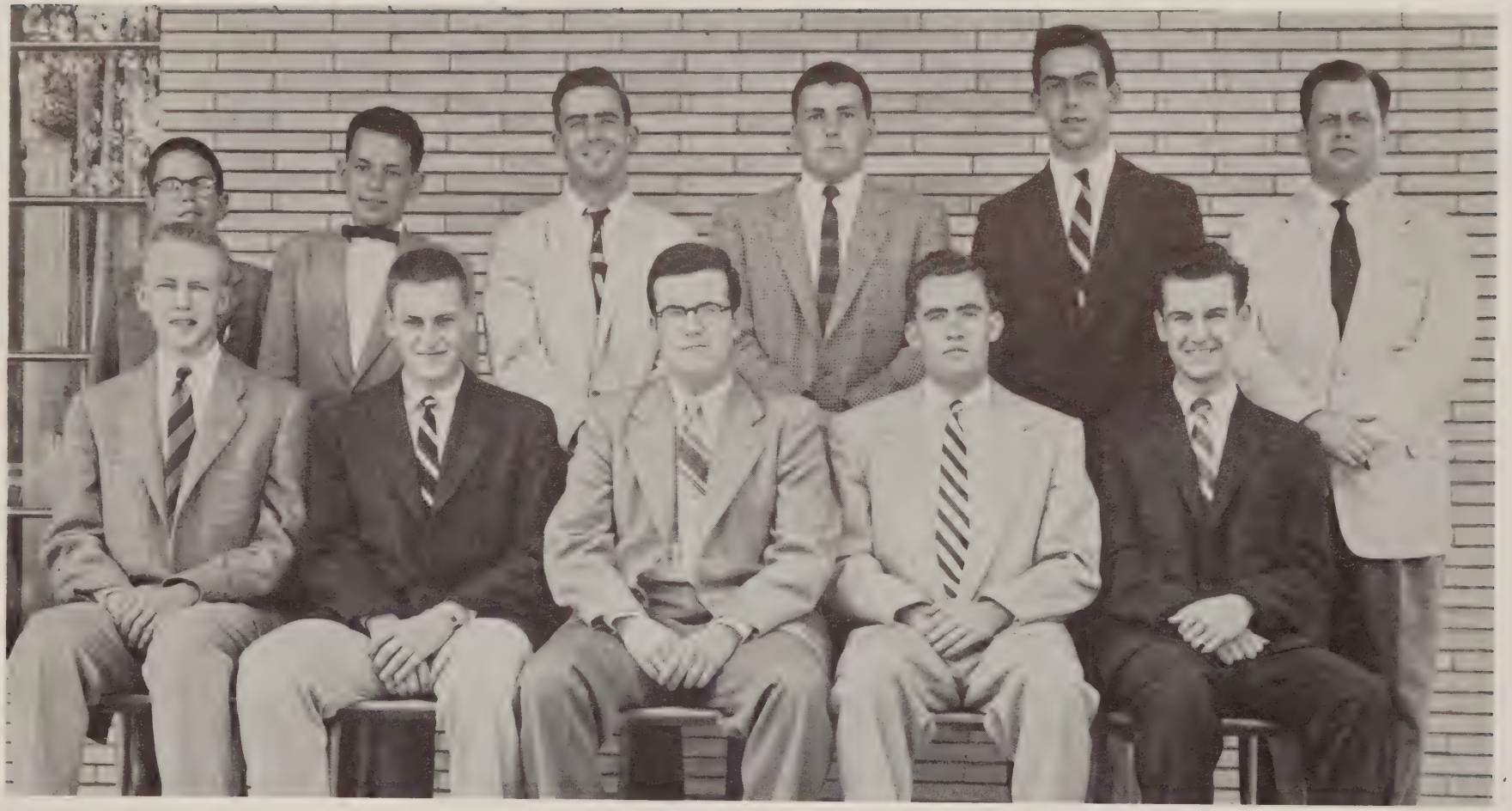
Front row, left to right: R. Oleson, P. Hodgman, W. Teale, C. Smith. Back row: J. Russell, B. Earle, P. Wharton, M. Bonavita, R. Knight.

SENIOR PROM COMMITTEE

Front row, left to right: B. Moreau, Mr. Hunt, M. Bonavita.
Back row: R. Mulholland, P. Hodgman, R. Bailey.

GLEE CLUB

Front row, left to right: T. Cresswell, J. Lininger, W. Clarke, D. Haven, P. Bixby, D. LaFond. Back row: P. Combs, E. Walker, H. Schneider, D. Stewart, P. Hodgman, T. Hopper, B. Baker.



YEARBOOK STAFF

Front row, left to right: P. Hodgman, V. Tetreault, S. Letter, J. Dwyer, W. Teale. Back row: L. Smith, S. Wessoleck, J. Russell, W. Hines, D. Yates, Mr. Speed, Faculty Advisor. Absent when picture was taken: F. Bodington, P. Mailman.

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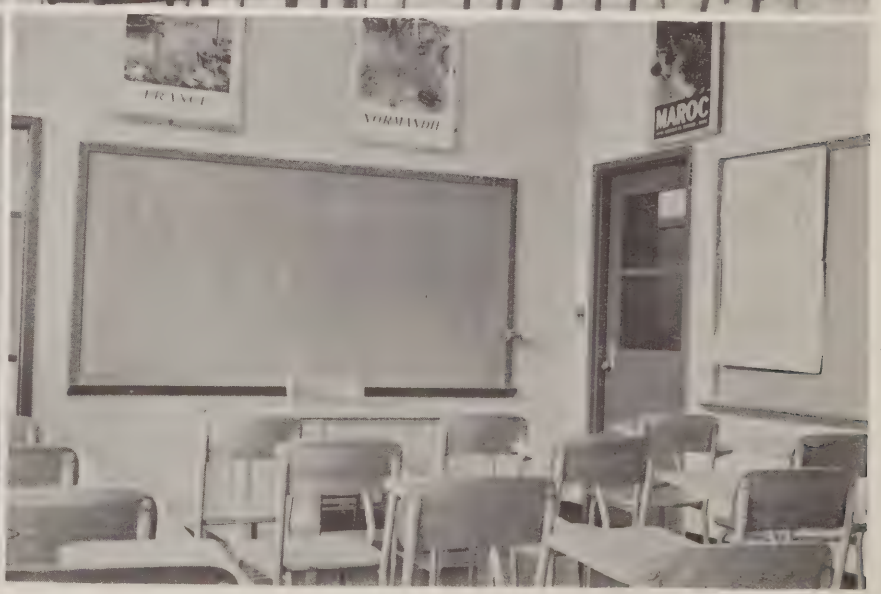
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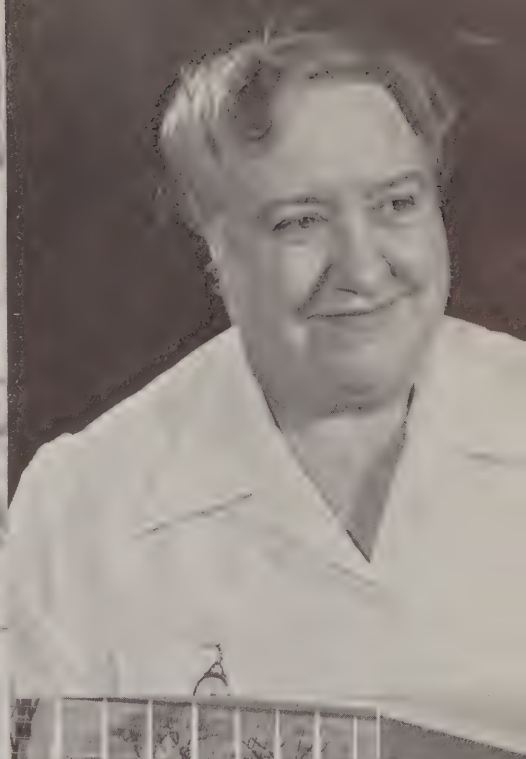

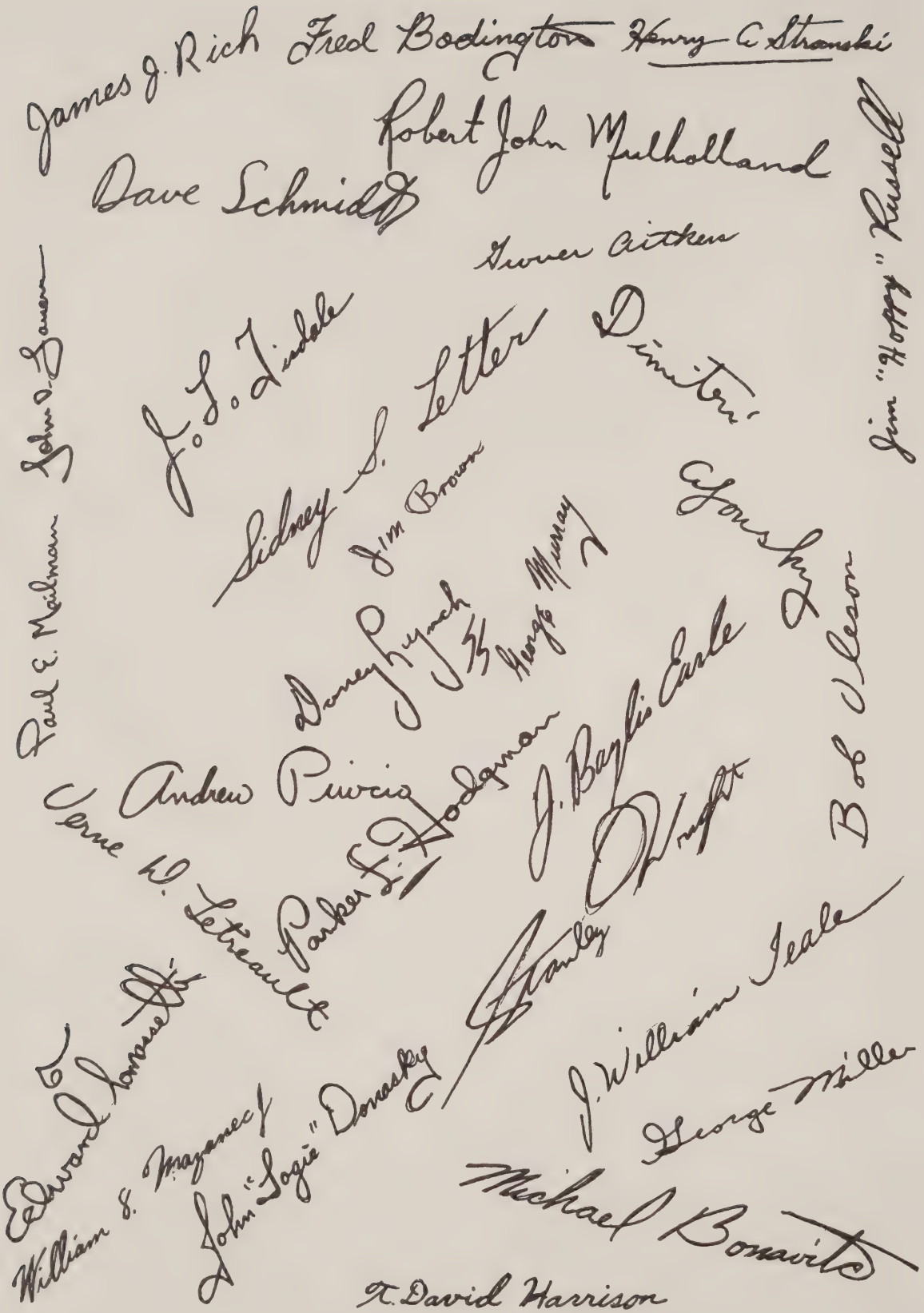
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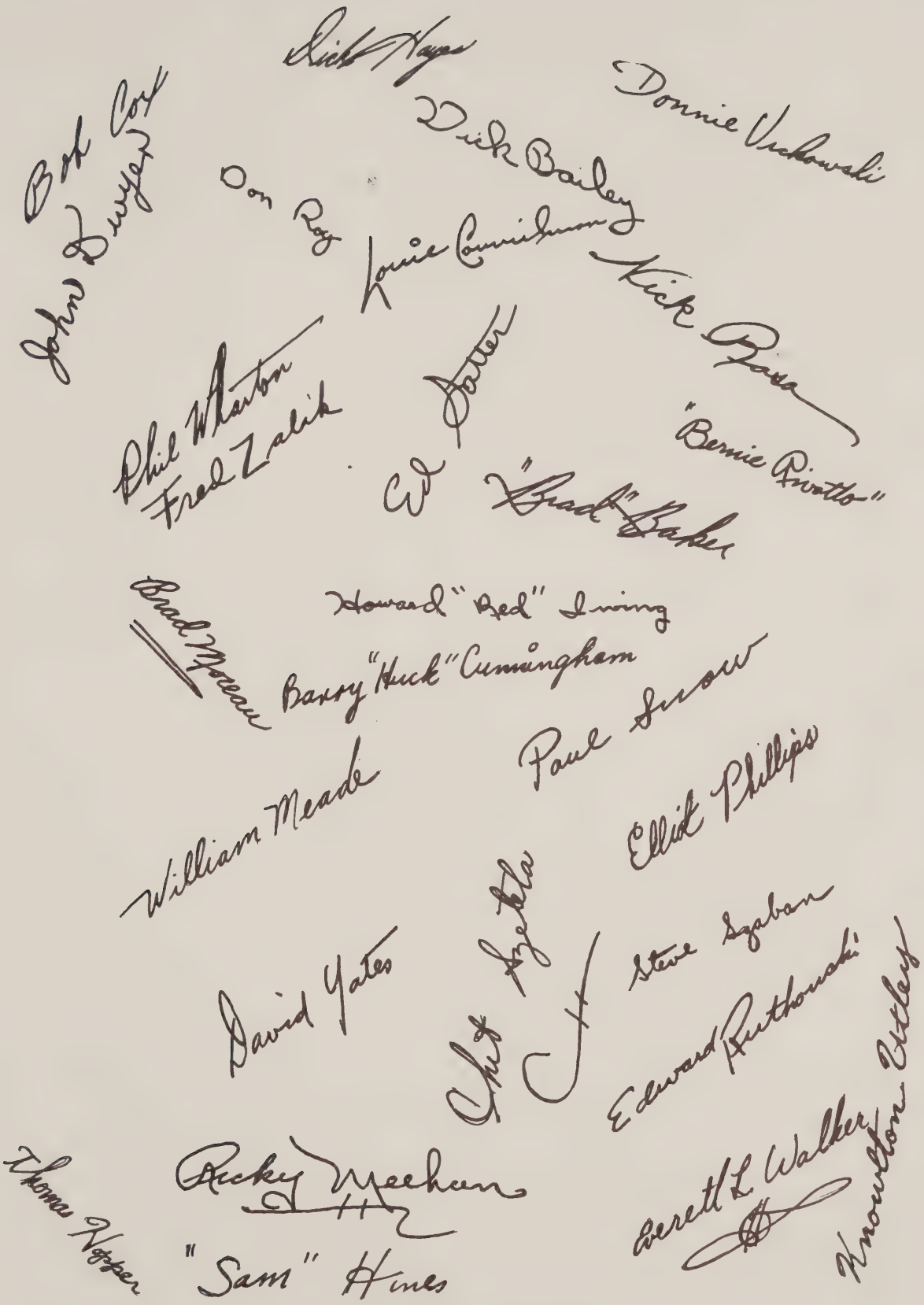
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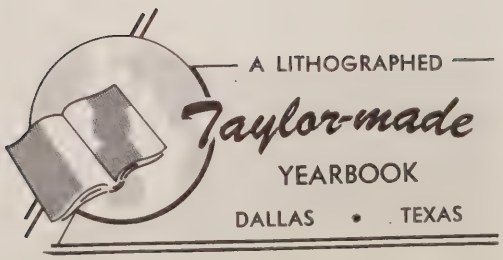
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